HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 364 By DuBois

A RESOLUTION to honor and congratulate Ronnie J. Dugger on his selection as Building Level Teacher of the Year at Mt. Pleasant High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to specially recognize those outstanding teachers who have devoted their careers to providing the highest quality education for Tennessee's students; and

WHEREAS, Ronnie J. Dugger is one such estimable educator who has distinguished himself as a professional of the greatest dedication, ability and integrity; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Dugger has recently been selected as Building Level Teacher of the Year by Mt. Pleasant High School, an honor most befitting his outstanding tenure as a teacher, as it recognizes the positive influence he has had on so many young lives; and

WHEREAS, Ronnie Dugger received his bachelor's degree from Austin Peay State
University and has completed several graduate courses at Middle Tennessee State University,
Austin Peay State University, Trevecca College and Tennessee State University; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Dugger has served with acumen and alacrity as a social studies and physical education teacher and a football and softball coach for 32 exemplary years; and

WHEREAS, active in his profession and his community, Ronnie J. Dugger is a member of the National Education Association, the Tennessee Education Association, the Maury County

Education Association, the Mt. Pleasant High School and Middle School Parent-Teacher

Organizations, several departmental committees, the Crisis Management Team and the Main

Street Church of Christ; and

WHEREAS, Ronnie Dugger is an extremely talented and compassionate educator who works assiduously to motivate his students to reach their full potential, both as scholars and as citizens; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Dugger truly serves as an inspiration to his colleagues and students alike, and his friendship and counsel are highly valued by those who are fortunate to know him; and

WHEREAS, Ronnie Dugger truly epitomizes the ideal of the dedicated teacher who is wholly committed to the highest ideals of public service and quality education for all, and he should be specially recognized; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we hereby honor and congratulate Ronnie J. Dugger on being chosen as Building Level Teacher of the Year at Mt. Pleasant High School, commend his exceptional service to the children of Tennessee, salute his professional expertise and personal excellence and wish him all the best in his future endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.